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AMENDMENT TO SPECIFICATION

The specification has been amended on page 3, paragraph [0011] as follows:

The present invention relates to data storage media, namely, colored optical data storage media and methods for making the same. In one embodiment, the colored media has, at the readback laser wavelength, a transmissivity of light of about 85% or less, with about 70% to about 85% preferred, about 75% to about 80% also preferred, and about 75% to about 85% especially preferred, when traversing a 1.2 mm thick colored substrate (disk). Alternatively, if fluorescent, the media preferably emits light at a wavelength which does not inhibit data retrieval. The fluorescent media can comprise a substrate which has a transmissivity, at the readback laser wavelength, exceeding 68%, with about 70% to about 95% preferred, about 70% to about 95%-90% more preferred, and about 70% to about 85% especially preferred, when traversing a 1.2 mm thick substrate (disk).